

## James Robert "Big Bob" Ward

May 20, 1946 - April 28, 2016

James Robert Ward (69) enter into eternal rest on April 28,2016 at Pitt Vidant Medical Center in Greenville, NC. "Big Bob" or "Bob" as he was affectionately known, was the son of the late Cecil and Dorthy Mae Ward. Bob's work career included his being a veteran of the United States Air Force, retired maintenance worker for the Hertford County Public Schools and radio announcer for WQDK and WWDR. "Big Bob" was a lover of music,exemplifying this through his singing for years with The Four Stars of Ahoskie, The New Ahoskie Male Chorus and his radio announcing. He will be remembered by many radio listeners for his famous words, "Don't Meet Me There", "Beat Me There".

Left to cherish his memories are his wife; Shirley B. Ward, his six children, 12 grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren 6 siblings, 2 uncles and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was also preceded in death by 3 brothers.

# Previous Events

## Funeral

MAY 2. 1:30 PM (ET)

Calvary Missionary Baptist Church

600 N Catherine Street

Ahoskie, NC 27910

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<http://www.netministries.org/frames.asp?ch=ch17975&st=NC&name=Calvary%20Missionary%20Baptist%20Church&city=Ahoskie>

# Tribute Wall



“ James Robert "Big Bob" Ward

January 28, 2023 at 07:47 AM



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Nyaja Thomas - May 02, 2016 at 06:33 AM

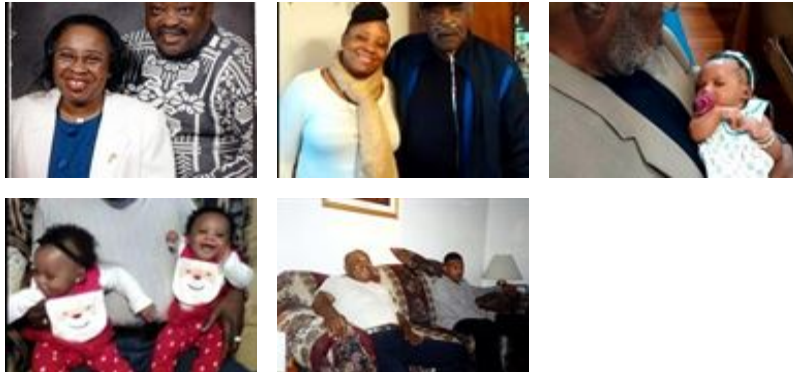


“ Robert was a kind and gentle person. He will be missed by all who knew him. Andre and Dennie

Ray - May 02, 2016 at 01:26 AM



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Reynolds Funeral Home - May 01, 2016 at 11:52 PM

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“ *Janet Jenkins lit a candle in memory of  
James Robert "Big Bob" Ward*



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**Janet Jenkins** - May 01, 2016 at 05:24 PM